

THE : FUTURE : LABORATORY

GRADUATE PROGRAMME 2020/2021

About us

The Future Laboratory is a strategic foresight consultancy. Since 2001, we have prepared clients for the future by giving them the confidence to take the decisions today that will create transformative growth tomorrow. We have grown into an organisation with international reach, employing more than 50 people, headquartered in Spitalfields, London.

The Future Laboratory has foresight at the heart of everything we do. As an organisation we are inspiring, knowledgeable, forthright, charismatic and independent. We believe what we deliver is unique and game-changing, and we are committed to being ethical, responsible and socially minded.

About the programme

The graduate programme will last for one year and you will work across multiple areas of the business, though the majority of your time will be split between Foresight and Strategy.

: Client Development & Operations (1 month)

: Foresight (5.5 months)

: Strategy (5.5 months)

The aim is for you to gain exposure into all aspects of our business and be immersed in the way we do things at The Future Laboratory; from meeting and greeting guests and clients at the front door to recruiting global consumers to case study as part of a client research project. Each placement will have a key focus based on current business priorities and you will be expected to contribute to active work being delivered by that specific team.

After the year, we will discuss your future career path within the business and appoint where we have a suitable opportunity that best fit your strengths.

This is a paid graduate scheme and you will be entitled to a wide range of benefits including, pension, dental, eye care, flu jabs, 'Make Your Future Happen' bursary, season ticket loan and 20 days annual leave, plus discretionary leave over the festive period. Plus, you get to work in our beautiful Spitalfields office where we have our own Future Lab, Marlowe, and more than 60,000 honey bees on our roof.

About you

We are looking for a highly motivated, forward thinking individual with a passionate and curious attitude to life – passionate about trends, futures, consumers, brands, lifestyles, life and innovations.

You will be articulate, capable, ambitious and willing to work flexibly in a dynamic environment.

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How to apply

If you are interested in joining our team and getting to know our business, please record a film, no longer than 3 minutes, telling us:

- : What are you curious about?
- : What's your favorite brand and why?
- : What's the future of X? [please choose one of the following]
 - : Beauty
 - : Fashion
 - : Food & drink
 - : Health & wellness
 - : Luxury
 - : Retail
 - : Travel & hospitality
 - : Youth
- : What brand would you most like to work with and why?
- : Why should you be our next graduate?
- : What's new, next and game changing in terms of a key trend for 2021?

Post the film on Vimeo and email the link and a copy of your CV to: people@thefuturelaboratory.com

Submissions close on Friday 3rd July, and interviews will follow shortly after, with the successful candidate starting at the beginning of September 2020.

We will do our best to reply to all applicants, however if you have not heard from us by Friday 17th July, unfortunately your application has not been successful.

We look forward to hearing from you!